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What is claimed is:

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1. (original) A hand-held power tool, in particular a barrel jigsaw, having a barrel grip (10), characterized by means of a detachable top handle (12) and an attaching device (14) for attaching the top handle (12).
2. (original) The hand-held power tool as recited in claim 1, wherein the fastening device (14) is provided for tool-free attachment and/or detachment of the top handle (12).
3. (currently amended) The hand-held power tool as recited in claim 1-~~or~~2, wherein an on-off switch (18) is at least partially integrated into the top handle (12).
4. (original) The hand-held power tool as recited in claim 3, wherein a locking mechanism (20) for locking the on-off switch (18) is integrated into the top handle (12).
5. (original) A hand-held power tool having a handle (12) and an on-off switch (18) at least partially integrated into the handle (12) and having a locking mechanism (20) for locking the on-off switch (18), in particular as recited in claim 4, wherein the locking mechanism (20) has at least two at least largely decoupled actuating elements (22, 24).
6. (original) The hand-held power tool as recited in claim 5, wherein the actuating elements (22, 24) are situated on opposite sides of the top handle (12).
7. (currently amended) The hand-held power tool as recited in ~~claims 3 through 6~~ claim 3,

wherein the fastening device (14) is at least partially integrally joined to a functional component of the on-off switch (18).

8. (original) The hand-held power tool as recited in claim 7, wherein a holding mechanism of the fastening device (14) is integrally joined to an actuator rod guide.

9. (original) The hand-held power tool as recited in claim 8, wherein the holding mechanism is comprised of a locking pin (26).

10. (original) The hand-held power tool at least as recited in claim 3, wherein the on-off switch (18) at least partially integrated into the top handle (12) is at least in part integrally joined to an on-off switch (28) at least partially integrated into the barrel grip (10).

11. (currently amended) The hand-held power tool as recited in ~~one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1, wherein the top handle (12) is provided to constitute a support surface (30, 32) for the back of a hand.

12. (original) The hand-held power tool as recited in claim 11, wherein the support surface (32) is comprised of a soft elastic component (34).

13. (currently amended) A top handle (12) for a hand-held power tool as recited in ~~one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1.